



Take the Highway Safety CHALLENGE! Do your part to help prevent highway fatalities by:

- Buckling up
- Avoiding distractions
- Sharing the road
- Obeying speed limits
- Driving drug-and-alcohol free

For more information on the Virginia Highway Safety Challenge and ways to avoid becoming Virginia's next traffic fatality, visit www.safeVAhighways.org.

Hot Spots for the Fredericksburg Region May 30 – June 5, 2010

Stafford County

Interstate 95

Thursday, 8 a.m. – 3.p.m.; crews will be replacing the overhead sign structure on I-95 south at Exit 140 (Rt. 630/Stafford). One lane will be closed in the work zone

Route 630 Bridge over CSX Railway (On-going Construction Project)

Tuesday – Friday; motorists should be alert to construction equipment entering and exiting Rt. 630 at the bridge over the CSX tracks. Crews are clearing land and constructing temporary travel lanes at the bridge approach. The bridge replacement project is expected to be complete in September 2011.

Route 610 (Garrisonville Road) - Ongoing Construction Project

Tuesday– Friday; eastbound traffic will be shifted to the temporary travel lanes on Rt. 610 near Joshua Road. Motorists are reminded that this is an active work zone and should be alert to construction crews and equipment entering and exiting the roadway. Flaggers and signs will direct motorists to the new lanes and through the work zone. This is in connection with the Route 610 widening project.

Spotsylvania County

Interstate 95

Tuesday, 12 noon – 3.p.m.; crews will be replacing the overhead sign structure on I-95 south at Exit 118 (Rt. 606/Thornburg). One lane will be closed in the work zone

Wednesday, 8 a.m. - 3.p.m.; crews will be replacing the overhead sign structure on I-95 south at the following locations:

- Exit 118 (Rt. 606/Thornburg)
- Exit 126 (Rt. 1/Spotsylvania)

One lane will be closed in the work zones

Route 17 (Mills Drive)

Motorists are reminded to expect delays and to be alert to changes in traffic patterns on Rt. 17 at Germanna Point Drive during both the day time and overnight hours. Crews are working to complete the Rt. 17 entrance to the new Spotsylvania Regional Medical Center. The work is being performed by the Silver Companies.

Route 639 (Bragg Road/Fall Hill Avenue) -Ongoing Construction Project

Motorists are reminded that Bragg Road between Route 3 and the entrance to Central Park is an active work zone. Motorists should be alert to construction crews and equipment in the area and be prepared for changes in traffic patterns within the work zone. The Bragg Road entrance to Giant remains only open to right turns in and out. Motorists traveling on Route 3 in vicinity of Bragg Road should also expect delays and changes in traffic pattern changes.

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Caroline County

Interstate 95

Wednesday – Thursday, 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.; crews will be replacing guardrail on both north and southbound I-95 between the Hanover/Caroline C.L. and Exit 104 (Rt. 207/Carmel Church). This is a mobile operation and motorists will be restricted to one lane in the work zone.

Route 207/652 (On-going Construction Project)

Crews continue work to improve the Rt. 207/Rt. 652 at the I-95 Interchange. Motorists should be alert to construction crews and equipment and traffic pattern changes. Traffic is currently restricted to one lane in each direction on Rt. 207 and motorists are experiencing delays especially during the morning and evening rush hours. This traffic pattern will remain in place until late August. The project is expected to be complete by November 2011.

City of Fredericksburg

Blue and Gray Parkway

Tuesday – Thursday, 9 p.m. – 5 a.m.; motorists will be restricted to one lane in each direction on the Blue and Gray Parkway at Lafayette Blvd. while crews continue paving work at the intersection. Turn movements at the intersection will be periodically prohibited during the overnight hours.

Kenmore Avenue

Motorists are reminded that crews continue work to replace the sewer lines at the intersection of Kenmore Avenue and Hanover Street. Motorists traveling on Kenmore Avenue or Hanover Street should follow the designated detour signs.

Route 1

Tuesday – Friday, daylight –dusk; motorists will be restricted to one lane on northbound Rt. 1 between Mary Washington Blvd and College Avenue while crews continue work on the UMW pedestrian bridge. There will be no lane closures in affect on weekends.